Government of Madras

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 708, 15th November 1934

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From the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue and Settlement), dated 19th July 1934, No. Ref. C. 3966/34-4.

From the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue and Settlement), dated 18th September 934, Resolution Mis. No. 3236.

Order—No. 708, Finance, dated 15th November 1934.

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The Government accordingly direct that the special pay shall cease to be drawn by the Government servants stationed at Siruguppa with effect from 1st January 1935.

3. The following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by rules 41, 42 and 44 of the Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, the Governor in Council and the Governor acting with the Ministers hereby make the following amendment to Part I of the Madras Manual of Special Pay and Allowances, Volume I, with effect from 1st January 1935 :—

AMENDMENT.

Delete item (27) under rule 10 of Part I of the said manual and *renumber* the subsequent items.

4. The Board of Revenue is requested to submit at an early date the further report promised by the Collector of Bellary regarding the possibility of keeping the distributary

channels free from weeds and silt by enforcing the provisions of the Kudimaramat Act. Orders on the question of employment of six lascars for the purpose will be deferred pending receipt of the report.

(By order of the Governor in Council)

S. A. VENKATARAMAN,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, all Heads of Departments.
,, the Collector of Bellary.
,, the Accountant-General.

Copy to the Departments of the Secretariat.
,, Superintendent, Government Press, for publication of notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*

Forwarded to the

(By order)

Superintendent.

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Finance Dept.

Memo No: 9

Not- urgent
Since an interim
reply has been
received from Board
of Revenue - Copy below

Subject :- Revenues -
Unhealthy localities -
Srinivasappa (Bellary)
- Discontinuance

The attention of the
Board of Revenue is
invited to Memo No:
3692 B-2 CSR dt 10.6.1933
on the above subject
and it is requested to state
when the further report
may be expected.

DH
5.7.34

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The Board of Revenue
(L.R+S)

Copy 12 of Memo No: 473 Fin
22.6.33

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Finance **DEPARTMENT.**

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
7- JUL 1934
FINANCE DEPT.

CURRENT No.

Received ..... 19 *Registered* 21571 C.S.149

Subject.

Allowances - unhealthy localities - (Bellary) siruguppa-
Discontinuance - further report.

Finance (C.SR)

The Board of Revenue may be
reminded on 15.8.1934. if no report
is received by them

9.7.34

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Reference No. C.3966-34-2

ENCLOSURES.
No.
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Station Madras, *Dated the* 6th July 1934.

From A.R.C. Westlake Esquire, I.C.S.,
Secretary,
Land Revenue and
~~The~~ Board of Revenue, ~~Revenue~~ Settlement, etc.
~~Separate Revenue.~~

C.A. Souter Esquire, I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue.

Resolution

Reference.

Read the following:-

Board's Reference No. C.3966-34-1 dated 5-6-1934.

Reference.-

The attention of the Collector is invited to B.R. Rt. 2919 dated 19-6-'33 and to the Board's Reference C.3966-34-1 dated 5-6-'34 and he is requested to submit his report at once.

for secretary. 6734

To the Collector of Bellary.

copy to the secretary to Government, Finance department
(with reference to their Memo. No. 3692-B-2 C.S.R.
dated 10-6-1933).

m.p. 6-7-34.

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Finance **DEPARTMENT.**

CURRENT No.

Received 14 JUL 1934 19 *Registered* 22399 C&M 19

Subject.

Allowances- Unhealthy localities- Bellary District- Siruguppa Taluk and town- Antimalarial measures - remar'--

Fwd (CSR)

Submitted for perusal. As entered on page 2 ante, the Board will be reminded on 15-8-34 if the reports is not received by then.

16-9-34 Ref.C.No. 3966/34-3 16.7.34

ENCLOSURES.
No.
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Station Madras. *Dated the* 11th July 1934.

From

A.R.C. Westlake, Esq., I.C.S.,
Secretary. Land Revenue &
The Board of Revenue, ~~Revenue~~ Settlement, etc.
~~Separate Revenue.~~

C.A. Souter, Esq., C.S.I., I.C.S., Commr. of Land Revenue.

~~Resolution~~
~~Reference.~~ Read:-

Letter from The Hon'ble F.W. Stewart, C.I.E., I.C.S., Collector of Bellary, Ref. C. No.2178/34-B.4 dated 4th July 1934.

Reference:-

A copy of the letter from the Collector of Bellary Ref. C.2178/34-B.4 dated 4-7-34 addressed to the Director of Public Health is submitted to the Government for information.

For Secretary. 13734

To the Secretary to Government, Finance Dept. with a copy of the Collector's letter.

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Letter from the Hon'ble F.. Stewart, C.I.E., I.C.S., Collector of Bellary, Ref.C.No.2178/34-B.4 dated 4-7-34:-

Ref:- This office Ref. C.2178/34-B.4 dated 28-5-34.

I invite your kind attention to the reference quoted above and request the favour of your early remarks as my report to the Board ~~to the Board~~ is over due. The enclosures forwarded with my reference may kindly be returned.

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FINANCE **DEPARTMENT.**

CURRENT No. **23145**

Received 7-8-34 19 *Registered*

Subject.

Allowances - Unhealthy localities - (Bellary) - Siruguppa - Discontinuance - Further report.

Fwi (COR)

Submitted for perusal. The final reports of the D.P.H. may be awaited till 15-8-34.

Offg 23-7-34

JWBS 23-7-34

ENCLOSURES.
No.
Spare copies

Reference No. C.3966/34-4

Station Madras. , *Dated the* 19th July 1934.

From

A.R.C. Westlake Esq., I.C.S.,
Secretary,
The Board of Revenue, Land Revenue. & Revenue Settlement, etc. Separate Revenue.

C.A. Souter Esq., C.S.I., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue.

Resolution
Reference.

Read the following:-

I

Board's Reference No. C. 3966/34-3 dated 11-7-1934.

II

Letter from the Hon'ble Mr. F.W. Stewart C.I.E., I.C.S., Collector of Bellary, No. Ref. C.2178/34-B4 dated 14-7-34:-

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Ref:- Board's Refce. No.C.3966/34-1, dated 5-6-1934.

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I enclose a copy of the letter R. No. 66/Mal. dated 9th July 1934 fromthe Director of Public Health, Madras. The District Health Officer and the Tahsildar say that malaria is still common in the official quarters. There is therefore no justification for withdrawing allowances immediately

Finance Dept

Memo. No. 21571 M-1 dt 16.8.34

15/7/34

Allowance - unhealthy localities (Bellary) - Lingayya - Discontinuance - Refee: from the Board of Rev., No. C. 3966/34-4 dt 19.7.34

pps-b c.f.

The Board of Revenue is requested to state whether the final report promised by the Collector of Bellary in his letter No. Rel. C. 2178/34-134 dt 14.7.34 has been received and if so, when the remarks of the Board of Rev. may be expected.

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The Board of Rev. (LRS.)

15.8.34

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Finance DEPARTMENT. C.F. 31

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CURRENT No.

Received 26/8/34 19 34 Registered 1a 34

DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVT. 27 AUG 1934 FINANCE DEPT.

Subject.

Allowances - unhealthy localities - (Bellary) Siruguppa - Discontinuance.

Fwi (CSR)

Submitted for perusal. The Board may be reminded again on 16.9.34 if no reply is received by that date

25/8/34

ENCLOSURES.
No.
Spare copies

Reference No. C.3966-34-5

Station Madras, Dated the 23rd August 34 ~~19~~

From A.R.C. Westlake Esquire, I.C.S.,

Secretary Land Revenue. &
~~The~~ Board of Revenue, ~~Revenue~~ Settlement, etc.
Seperate Revenue.

C.A.Souter Esquire, C.S.I., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue.

~~Resolution~~
Reference.

Read - the following: -

p. 7 aug

Government Memorandum No.21571 C.S.R., 1, Finance Department, dated the 16th August 1934.

REFERENCE:-

pps- 6 aug

The final report promised by the Collector of Bellary in his letter No. Ref. C.2178/34-B-4, dated 14-7-34 has not yet been received. He was reminded on 13-8-34.

V. Ramaswami
For Secretary, 25/8/34

To The Secretary to Government, ~~Revenue~~ Finance Department.

P.T.S.,
23/8. JRE
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Finance Dept.

Memo. 30206 C&R-1 dt 9.8.34

Allowance - Unhealthy localities (Bellary) - Lingappa - Discontinuance - Refce: from, The Board of Rev, No. C.3966/34-5 dt 23.8.34

P.R.F.

This was recd. in yesterday's rappals. The Bd. has recommended discontinuance from 1/4/35.

9/11/34

The Board of Rev. is requested to ~~report~~ state whether the final report of the Collector of Bellary has since been received and if so, when the remarks of the Board of Rev. may be expected.

To, The Board of Rev. (R&S)

Dft 20.9.34

Typed 20.9.34

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Finance DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT No.

Received 20 SEP 1934 19 Registered 33104 19

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT — FINANCE DEPT.

Subject.

Allowances - Unhealthy localities -(Bellary) - Siruguppa- Discontinuance from 1-4-1935 - Report - Submitted to the -- Government.

DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT — 20 SEP 1934 — FINANCE DEPT.

ENCLOSURES.
No.
Spare copies.

Resolution No. Mis. 3236

Station Madras, *Dated the* 18th September 1934:

From

A.R.C. Westlake Esq., I C.S.,
Secretary Land Revenue. and
The Board of Revenue, ~~Revenue~~ Settlement, ~~etc.~~
~~Separate Revenue.~~

~~Resolution~~
~~Reference.~~

C.A. Seuter Esq., C.S.I., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue.

Read the following:-

I.

Board's Reference No. C. 3966-34-5 dated 23-8-34

II.

Letter from M.V. Subramanyam Esq. I.C.S., Collector of Bellary No. Ref. C. 2178/33-B-4 dated 21st August 1934.-

Ref:- Board's Reference C. 3966/34-5 dated 13-8-1934

I forward herewith a copy of the letter R. No. 66 Mal. dated 24-7-34 of the Director of Public Health, Madras, containing his recommendations on the malarial officer's report on the present state of malaria in Siruguppa town and the progress of antimalarial operations carried out there. His recommendation for a special staff of lascars to be borne on the Public Health budget is no doubt a simple way out,

but

but before recommending it, I am examining the point whether we ought not to secure the end in view by enforcing the provisions of the Kudimaramat Act and I shall send a further report on the point.

2. As regards the bad state of conservancy of the Government officials' quarters referred to by the Director of Public Health, I am taking steps to see that the Director of Public Health's suggestion in regard to that matter is carried out.

3. I agree with the Director of Public Health that as soon as arrangements are made for the effective prevention of the breeding of mosquitoes in the distributory channels, the allowances should be withdrawn.

Resolution

Submitted to the Government.

2. In view of the considerable reduction in malarial infection as evidenced by the reduction in the spleen rate, the Board sees no justification for the continuance of the allowance, and it accordingly recommends that the allowance may be discontinued with effect from 1-4-1935 provided the employment of 6 lascars as suggested by the Director of Public Health, is sanctioned by the Government.

(True extract)

for Secretary. 19.9.34

To the Secretary to Government, Finance department.

M.R.V./ 19-9-34.

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Copy of letter R.No. 66 Mal. dated 24th July 1934 from the Director of Public Health, Madras.

Ref:- Your letter Ref. C.No.2178/34 dated 28-5-34.

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In continuation of my letter R.No. 66/Mal. dated 9th July 1934, I have the honour to state that the Malaria Officer has inspected Siruguppa and submitted to me a report on the present state of malaria and the progress of antimalarial operations carried out there. From his report, I find that -

i. Malaria has considerably declined in Siruguppa town as evidenced by a reduction of the spleen rate from 35.3% in 1928 to 6.9 now.

ii. This reduction is partly due to natural causes but partly also due to the carrying out of some of the recommendations made in 1928. For instance, the revetment of the Bagavadi channel which is completed in 1932 has rendered it completely innocuous from mosquito breeding. Similarly the closure of the pits by the District and the Panchayat boards and the Revenue Department has brought about a permanent abatement in the mosquito nuisance.

iii. There is still however some degree of malarial transmission on account of the breeding of dangerous mosquitoes in the distributary channels which take off from the main canals through controlled sluices.

iv. As the control of breeding in these distributary channels within a radius of half a mile from the village seems now to be the main problem and as there may be difficulties and delay in enforcing the provisions of the Kudimaramath Act to keep these channels free from weeds and silt, I recommend that this task be undertaken by the Public Works Department and the cost debited to the Public Health budget. There are about 6 miles of distributories to be so treated and I estimate that a staff of 6 lascars would be necessary for this work. The cost will be Rs. 45/- at Rs.7-8-0 per head per month. A provision of Rs.5/- may be made for tools

and

and plant and contingencies making a total of Rs.50/- per month or Rs. 600/- per annum. Compared with the sum of nearly Rs. 7000/- a year, which I understand, is the amount paid in unhealthy allowances, the sum of Rs.600/- is, I think, a very reasonable expenditure to keep the -- village free from breeding places of dangerous mosquitoes.

v. During the Malaria Officer's inspection, it was found that the compound of the Government Officials' quarters was in a bad state of conservancy with rubbish heaps scattered in a number of places. I would therefore recommend the employment of a sweeper exclusively for the Government officials' quarters who in addition to sweeping and private scavenging may also be employed in treating the vanka which flows close to the Government Officials' quarters with paris green for a short period in the year when water is found to flow continuously for more than a fortnight.

vi. I think therefore that in these circumstances the withdrawal of the allowances becomes practical and as soon as -- arrangements are made for carrying out the scheme I have -- recommended, the allowances may be stopped.

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Finance (C.S.R).

Subject: Allowances - Unhealthy localities - Removal of Siruguppa in the Bellary Dt from the list of unhealthy localities for purposes of class III (b) Special pay.

Memo.No.3692 B-2 C.S.R. dated 10-6-33
From the Board of Revenue L.R & S Ref.No.C.3966/34-4 dated 19-7-34
" Board of Rev. (L & R& S) Resolution No.Mis 3236 dated 18-9-34

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In connection with the review of allowances by the Retrenchment department, the Collector of Bellary suggested in July 1931 that the present class III (b) Risk to health - Special pay granted to Govt. servants stationed at Sirugappa might be reduced by 50% subject to a minimum of Rs 10. He pointed out that officers at Sirugappa lived in newly constructed Govt. quarters and that the best economy would be antimalarial expenditure. The Board of Revenue, however, recommended the continuance of the special pay subject to the general reduction of 10 per cent effected on other similar special pays and stated that it might be withdrawn when complete anti-malarial operations are taken. The Govt. accepted the Board's recommendation in G.O. 192 Finance dated 4-4-32. The Board was also requested to report in due cours when the special pay drawn by officers at Sirugappa might be discontinued.

2. In May 1933, the Collectof of Bellary (Mr.Stewart), while reporting to Govt. the several anti-malarial measures that had been undertaken by the local union Board, the Dt.Board and/by the Public Works department, observed that the anti-malarial measures were not complete and that while he was not convinced of the necessity for the allowances, he did not think it reasonable

to assume that the completion of the measures would immediately stop the malaria. He recommended that the disease be observed by the Director of Public Health for a while before the allowances were stopped. The Board of Revenue agreed with the Collector.

This report was accepted by the Govt. and the Board was asked to send a further report by 1-7-34 regarding the discontinuance of the allowance.

3. The question of the adequacy of the anti-malarial measures taken and the necessity for the continuance of the unhealthy locality special pay with reference to the present state of malaria at the place has since been considered by the Malaria officer and the Director of Public Health and the Board has now submitted the report of the D.P.H. in the matter.

The D.P.H. has stated -

(i) that Malaria has considerably declined in Sirugappa town as evidenced by a reduction of the spleen rate from 35.3% in 1928 to 6.9% now; the reduction being due partly to natural causes and partly to the antimalarial measures taken.

(ii) that a staff of 6 lascars may be sanctioned to work under the P.W.D. the cost being debited to the Public health budget, for keeping the distributory channels free from weeds and silt as there is still some degree of malarial transmission, on account of the breeding of dangerous mosquitoes from those channels.

(iii) that a sweeper be employed exclusively for the Govt. officials' quarters, the compound of which is in a bad state of conservancy with rubbish heaps scattered in a number of places.

(iv) that in the above circumstances, the withdrawal of the unhealthy locality special pay

para (1) p.13 C.F.

becomes practical and that as soon as arrangements are made for carrying out the scheme he has recommended, the special pays may be stopped.

p.11 C.F.

The Board of Revenue has recommended the withdrawal of the allowance with effect from 1-4-35 provided the employment of 6 lascars as suggested by the D.P.H. ~~maybe~~ is sanctioned by Govt.

4. Submitted that the proposal to withdraw the special pay in view of the considerable reduction in malarial infection may be accepted. As regards the date of the withdrawal, it is not clear on what considerations the Board has suggested 1-4-35. The D.P.H's recommendations are based on the Malaria officer's report after personal inspection of the locality and the conditions as they existed in July 1934. The Collector of Bellary ~~was~~ as early as July 1931, ~~was~~ of opinion that the special pay could be reduced by 50%. In April 1933 Mr. Stewart, the then Collector of Bellary, observed that he was not convinced of the necessity for the allowances. The D.P.H. has recommended the withdrawal of the allowance as soon as arrangements for the scheme ~~mentioned~~ in para 3 above are carried out. In view of the above, it is submitted that there does not seem to be sufficient justification for the continuance of the special pay any longer and it seems that it may be abolished from at least 1-1-1935. It is for orders whether orders may be issued accordingly or whether the Board's suggestion to withdraw the allowance from 1-4-35 will be accepted.

cf. BOR recommn on p.11 C.F.

Vide report on p 6 C.F.

M on p.7 of (J)

para 5, p.9 of (Z)

para vi on p.13 C.F.

1.1.35 maybe adopted. Thus time ample time to every official concerned. See 2 para

5. As regards the suggestions of the D.P.H. to employ 6 lascars the Collector of Bellary has

para (iv) on pp. 12-13 C.F

stated that he is examining the point whether the object could not be achieved by enforcing the provisions of the Kudimaramat Act and that he is taking steps to carry out the suggestion of the D.P.H. in regard to the question of conservancy of the Govt. officers' quarters. The recommendation of the Board, however, appears to be for according sanction to the employment of 6 lascars as suggested by the D.P.H. It does not appear that this course will be justified until it is found impossible to get the work done under the provisions of the Kudimaramath Act. It is submitted that the Board may be asked to obtain and furnish the report promised by the Collector in his letter on pages 10-11 C.F. on receipt of which the question may be examined further.

Sir
Yours

The case may be sent to Revenue, L.S.G and Public (Ser) for perusal and remarks, if any, before circulation.

1.X.34
Yours
1.10.34

What is the actual expenditure on this Sp. pay now being incurred by Govt? What will be the extra expense if the lascars are appointed? Quickly.

Sir
Yours

Submitted. There is no information in the office as to the number of Govt. Servants stationed at Singarpa who are in receipt of the unhealthy locality special pay.

The D. P. H. has, however, furnished

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a rough estimate which is as follows —

Cost on account of the unhealthy locality special Pays.. ..	nearly Rs. 7,000.
Cost of Keeping the distributary Channels within a radius of half a mile from the village free from weeds & silt — 6 lascars @ Rs 7½ p. m. plus Rs 5 p.m. for tools & plant and Contingencies	Rs. 600.
	nearly Rs. 6.400 p.a

Ott
2.X.34
Lons
2.10.34

This may now go to Rev, Isf & Pub(Sa) for perusal. The question of appointing the lascars ~~with~~ may be taken up as soon as the Coll's further report is recd: The Bd. may be asked to get & submit it soon.

Rev
8/Lons

Fin no 33104 C&A —

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3 ~~X~~ to 34
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REVENUE

Rev.

Isf.

Pub(Sa.)

The notes on pp 1-4 above may be perused and the file passed on to L.S.G.

4.10.34

L.S.G.

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
6-OCT 1934
LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

Mins B

Trans on pp 2-3

Rec. no 4445 J/34.

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ASG (P.H Delhi)

may be perused and passed on to Public (Sec).

6.10.34

Public (Sec) Delhi

Public (Dev) Delhi

may be perused and the file returned to Finance.

11.X.34

The proposal is that the Special (Unhealthy locality) pay admissible to persons stationed at Singapore be

SECRETARY MINISTRY OF FINANCE
4 OCT 1934
P.H.
CENTRAL SECT.

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abolished with effect from the 1.1.35..

May be accepted

agreed.

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12.10.34

A draft order is submitted for approval. The file may now be circulated.

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HG. (for orders for Cabinet Circulation)

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 13 OCT 1934 FINANCE DEPT.

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DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 13 OCT 1934 FINANCE DEPT.

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H.E. 14.11.

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Finance DEPARTMENT.

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Allowances - Unhealthy localities - Siruguppa in the Bellary district - Removed from the list.

READ AGAIN G.O. No. 517 Fin:, dated 30-7-1928 19

" " " " 192 Fin: " 4-4-1932 19

READ ALSO :—

C. No. .... From the Board of Revenue, L.R. and S., No. Ref.C. 3966/34-4, dated 19-7-34 19

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ORDER.

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 708, 15th November 1934

Allowances—Unhealthy localities—Siruguppa in the Bellary district—Removed fron the list.

READ—the following papers :—

G.O. No. 517, Finance, dated 30th July 1928.

G.O. No. 192, Finance, dated 4th April 1932.

From the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue and Settlement), dated 19th July 1934, No. Ref. C. 3966/34-4.

From the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue and Settlement), dated 18th September 1934, Resolution Mis. No. 3236.

Order—No. 708, Finance, dated 15th November 1934.

In G.O. No. 517, Finance, dated 30th July 1928, the Government sanctioned the inclusion of Siruguppa in the Bellary district in the list of unhealthy localities for purpose of enabling Government servants stationed in the locality to draw the unhealthy locality special pay. In connexion with the general review of allowances by the Retrenchment Committee, 1931-32, the Board of Revenue recommended that the special pay might be withdrawn when the various anti-malarial operations that were being carried out in the area both by the Government and by the local boards were completed. The Government accepted this recommendation in G.O. No. 192, Finance, dated 4th April 1932, and the Board of Revenue was requested to report in due course when the special pay might be discontinued.

2. The Board of Revenue has now furnished details and also the report of the Director of Public Health on the several anti-malarial measures that have been carried out at Siruguppa and it has recommended that the special pay may be discontinued with effect from 1st April 1935, provided the employment of six lascars is sanctioned, as recommended by the Director of Public Health, to keep the distributary channels within a radius of half a mile from the village free from weeds and silt. The Government have carefully examined the adequacy of the anti-malarial measures carried out and the present state of health in Siruguppa. They agree with the Board of Revenue that in view of the considerable reduction in malarial infection as evidenced by the reduction in the spleen rate (from 35·3 per cent in 1928 to 6·9 per cent in 1934) the continuance of the unhealthy locality special pay to Government servants stationed at Siruguppa is no longer justified. They do not, however, consider that there is any necessity to continue the special pay till 1st April 1935.

The Government accordingly direct that the special pay shall cease to be drawn by the Government servants stationed at Siruguppa with effect from 1st January 1935.

3. The following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by rules 41, 42 and 44 of the Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, the Governor in Council and the Governor acting with the Ministers hereby make the following amendment to Part I of the Madras Manual of Special Pay and Allowances, Volume I, with effect from 1st January, 1935 :—

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(By order of the Governor in Council)

S. A. VENKATARAMAN,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (paragraphs 1-4).
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